

COUNCIL CHAMBERS -- CITY COUNCIL  
CITY HALL -- CITY OF LODI  
MONDAY, MAY 15, 1939

The City Council of the City of Lodi met at 8:00 o'clock P.M. on the day and at the place first above written, Councilmen Clark, Graffigna, Spooner, Weihe and Steele (Mayor) present, being all of the members of the said City Council.

The minutes of the last meeting held May 1, 1939 were read, approved as read and so endorsed by the Mayor.

Mr A. H. Bull addressed the Council, voicing his desire to have the street lines determined for a street to be located between Lots 11 & 12 in Live Oak Colony No. 1 so that he could build a dwelling facing such a street.

Mr C. A. Posy protested against the closing of the "loading zone" maintained by him in front of No. 7 N. School Street. It appearing that this instance was part of a large problem in regard to loading spaces in the business district, meriting careful consideration, he was informed that no action could be taken at this time nor until a policy was formulated in regard to loading zones.

At this time, the Council proceeded to canvass the bids received for the purchase of two automobiles for the Police Department, such bids being as follows:-

L. G. Brown	Dodge, Special	\$ 900.00
do	Plymouth, De Luxe	850.00
Hansel & Orman	Olds 6	849.99-
Munger Motors	Pontiac 6	832.22
Krieger Motor Co.	Ford 95 H.P.	756.00
do	Ford 85 H.P.	730.00
Loewen Auto Co.	Chevrolet, Master	700.00
Eugene Hieb	Studebaker, Champion	690.69
Lodi Motor Co.	Plymouth, Road King	597.15

At the suggestion of the Mayor, all bids were ordered submitted for consideration by the Council.

A letter was received from the City of Turlock inviting the Council to view that city's new sewage disposal plant to be opened May 25th

Statements of accruals of gasoline tax funds to Major Streets and to State Highways for the biennium ending June 30, 1939 were received from the Division of Highways and ordered filed.

A petition signed by many of the local merchants asking that Ordinance No. 221 be repealed and another ordinance enacted to prohibit itinerant vendors, was received and ordered laid over for future consideration

Applications Nos 53 to 57 inclusive for business licenses were approved and licenses ordered granted on motion of Councilman Graffigna, Spooner second.

Earl May, Chief of the Fire Department, presented specifications as drawn by him covering a quadruple combination fire engine and equipment to be purchased and the same were approved and adopted as the specifications under which advertisement for bids and purchase of the equipment would be had by the adoption of Resolution No. 996, introduced by Councilman Graffigna and carried by the assenting votes of all members of the City Council.

City Attorney Glenn West presented a proposed ordinance governing traffic within the grounds of Lodi Lake Park and on motion of Councilman Clark, seconded by Councilman Graffigna, this ordinance numbered No. 252 and entitled "AN ORDINANCE DETERMINING THAT THE WHOLE OF LODI LAKE PARK IS A PUBLIC PLAYGROUND AND PLACE OF PUBLIC ASSEMBLAGE, THAT ALL THE HIGHWAYS AND DRIVEWAYS IN SAID PARK PASS PLACES OF PUBLIC ASSEMBLAGE AND THROUGH SUCH PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS, FIXING A PRIMA FACIE SPEED LIMIT UPON SAID HIGHWAYS AND DRIVEWAYS AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF" was introduced, read at length by the Clerk and ordered laid over until the next meeting of the City Council. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr West also presented an ordinance to be numbered Ordinance No. 253 and entitled "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SUBDIVISION 1 OF SECTION 2 OF ORDINANCE NO. 161, AND PROVIDING FOR THE TIMES FOR HOLDING REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL" and the same was introduced on motion of Councilman Spooner, seconded by Councilman Graffigna, read at length by the Clerk and ordered laid over until

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the next meeting of the City Council, motion carried unanimously.

Complaint having been filed in regard to the condition of Cherry Street, easterly from Garfield Street, the Street Superintendent was instructed to investigate.

On motion of Councilman Graffigna, seconded by Councilman Weihe and carried, claims in the amount of \$9,830.99 as approved by the Finance Committee were allowed and warrants ordered drawn in payment thereof.

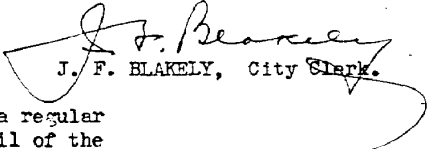
A complaint regarding the floors at Lodi Armory was referred to Councilman Graffigna for his recommendation.

Mr J. A. Henning, Superintendent of Public Utilities, stated that the Student Council of Lodi Union High School would furnish materials to the amount of \$390.00 for lighting the tennis courts at the school if the City would install the lights and furnish the current necessary and on motion of Councilman Graffigna, seconded by the Mayor, Mr Henning was authorized to do the work.

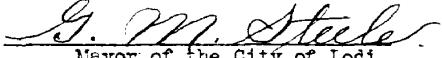
Lodi Soft Ball Association filed its monthly report of financial transactions for April, the first month of the season of 1939, and copies were furnished each Councilman.

On motion of Councilman Clark, seconded by Councilman Weihe and carried, Superintendent John A. Henning was authorized to install a system of flood lights at Lodi Lake Park.

On motion of Councilman Weihe, the City Council then adjourned.

  
J. F. BLAKELY, City Clerk.

The foregoing minutes of a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi held May 15, 1939 were read at length at a subsequent meeting of said Council held on the 5th day of June, 1939 and approved without correction.

  
Mayor of the City of Lodi

June 6, 1939.